

Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 80064(302721) Application No. Art Unit Filing Date Examiner 10/588,437-Conf. #8396 S. M. Cernoch 3709 August 7, 2006 Applicant(s): Naoki Yamaguchi et al. Invention: ELECTROSTATIC SPRAYING DEVICE TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Number Remaining Number After Previously **Extra Claims** Amendment Paid Present **Total Claims** 17 20 0 50.00 0.00 Independent 3 0 210.00 0.00 Х **Claims** Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 x Large Entity Small Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. x The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 04-1105 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any overpayment. x Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: April 22, 2008 William L. Brooks Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 34,129 **EDWARDS ANGELL PALMER & DODGE LLP** P.O. Box 55874

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2008, please amend the above-captioned U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 9 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 10 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.